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MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 3, 2020

TO: Collin County Health Care Board of Trustees

FROM: Candy Blair

Healthcare Care Services Administrator

RE: Contract Acceptance—FY2020 DSHS COVID-2019 Crisis CoAg grant

This is to request Commissioners Court acceptance for the FY2020 COVID-2019 Crisis CoAg grant contract with the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS).

The FY2020 award is a new contract (HHS000769800001) for a one year period from 3/15/2020 to 3/15/2021 in the amount of \$669,893. The purpose of the grant is to support the county's coronavirus response activities. No match is required from the county for this funding.

The COVID-2019 Crisis CoAg grant contract award will be used primarily towards the salary and fringe benefits of six (6) epidemiologists. Funds are expected to be spent on purchasing personal protective equipment (PPE) and COVID-2019 testing supplies to support grant activities. In addition to personnel costs, other program expenses such as mileage and general office supplies are included.

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